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TAGS: PFOR, NATO

SUBJ: NPG STAFF GROUP MEETING, 29 JULY 1974

REF: USNATO 4107

1. NPG STAFF GROUP (SG) DEVOTED BULK OF 29 JULY MEETING TO DISCUSSION OF DRAFT AGENDA FOR ROME MINISTERIAL MEETING, SCHEDULED FOR 7-8 NOVEMBER. TEXT OF DRAFT AGENDA FOLLOWS: BEGIN TEXT:

I. BRIEFING ON THE BALANCE OF STRATEGIC FORCES
FOLLOWED BY GENERAL DISCUSSION
(COSMIC TOP SECRET ATOMAL)
DISCUSSION LEADER: UNITED STATES

II. STATUS OF SELECTIVE EMPLOYMENT PLANNING OPTIONS
(NATO SECRET)

STATEMENTS BY SACEUR AND SACLANT.

III. COMMUNICATING NATO'S INTENTIONS TO USE NUCLEAR WEAPONS
(NATO SECRET)

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DOCUMENTS:

(A) REPORT BY THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES
NPG/D(74)....(TO BE CIRCULATED)

(B) STUDY ON COMMUNICATING NATO'S
INTENTIONS TO USE NUCLEAR WEAPONS NPG/STUDY/
...(TO BE CIRCULATED)

IV. ILLUSTRATIVE STUDY: INITIAL AIR DEFENCE USE
(NATO SECRET)
DOCUMENTS:

(A) REPORT BY THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES NPG/D(74)
....(TO BE CIRCULATED)

&&(B) SHAPE ILLUSTRATIVE STUDY ON INITIAL AIR DEFENCE
USE AND RELATED MILITARY COMMITTEE COMMENTS NPG/
STUDY/44

&& TO BE INTRODUCED BY A SHAPE PRESENTATION.

V. FUTURE WORK PROGRAMME (INCLUDING TIME AND PLACE OF
NEXT MEETING)

(NATO CONFIDENTIAL)

DOCUMENT:

NOTE BY THE CHAIRMAN PO/74/....(TO BE CIRCULATED)

VI. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

VII. AGREED MINUTE

VIII. COMMUNIQUE
END TEXT.

2. IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION FROM CHAIRMAN, U.S. REP (CLINARD)
SAID MISSION HAS NO INDICATION AS YET, BUT IS ASSUMING THAT
SECDEF WILL, AS IN PAST, PRESENT STRATEGIC BALANCE BRIEFING
AS AGENDA ITEM I. AS TO AGENDA ITEM II, BOTH SACEUR AND
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SACLANT REPS SUSPECTED THAT, BECAUSE OF EARLY STAGE OF
WORK ON SELECTIVE EMPLOYMENT PLANNING OPTIONS, REPORTS FROM
MNC'S WOULD PROBABLY BE BRIEF.

ACTION REQUESTED: CONFIRMATION THAT SECDEF WILL PRESENT
BALANCE BRIEFING AT ROME MEETING, PLUS ANY WASHINGTON COMMENTS
ON DRAFT AGENDA AS A WHOLE.

3. CHAIRMAN ALSO REFERRED TO SUGGESTION MADE IN HIS NOTE OF
23 JULY (REFTEL) TO EFFECT THAT NO FURTHER NPG PERMREPS
REPORT ON WINTEX-73 APPEARED WARRANTED. IT WAS AGREED THAT
MATTER WOULD DEALT WITH AT NEXT SG MEETING, PROBABLY ON
4 SEPTEMBER. PRENDERGAST

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